

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS—STONE & THOMAS.

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FROM NOW UNTIL CHRISTMAS EVERY DAY WILL HAVE

Special Attractions!

From a Magnificent Stock of the Right Goods for the Holidays.

SIX FLOORS

Packed with the most up-to-date, useful, as well as novelty goods, ever shown.

The Mistakes of a Buyer.

You profit; we lose. Your chance for an elegant Xmas present at almost half. Too many fine Lace Curtains bought. A rapid sale to be made at following prices:

300 pairs Ecru and White Irish Point, Swiss Tambour, French Applique and Brussels Lace Curtains, value \$7.50 to \$11.00 pair **\$5.90**

175 pairs finer grades Brussels, Irish Point, Renaissance, Arabian and French Applique Lace Curtains, were \$12.50 to 18.00 **\$8.90**

Finer Grades at Proportionate Reductions.

Fine Table Linens.

A special offering of Webbs' world renowned "Dew" Bleached Hemstitched Towels in white and colored borders. These goods are made of the finest pure Irish flax and will give the utmost satisfaction. Price **69c**

A very fine Hemstitched Grass Bleached Huck Towel; large size, with figured damask border. **49c**

Fine Table Sets.

MUCH UNDER VALUE.

Fine Hemstitched Bleached Damask Set. Cloth 2½ yards long, 22-inch Napkins to match, per set. **\$5.75**

Heavy Double Damask Table Set. Cloth 2½ yards long, 20-inch Napkins to match, beautiful designs, per set. **\$4.98**

STONE & THOMAS.

KID GLOVES, ETC.—GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

Snook & Co.

WHY DO WE EXPECT A LARGER.....
HOLIDAY BUSINESS THAN EVER?

Because { Our lines were never more select.
Our stocks were never larger.
Our prices were never lower.
We have more room to show goods in.
We have more salespeople to show them.

MORE

Silks and Dress Goods here.
Jackets, Capes and Furs here.
Blankets, Comforts and Rugs here.

Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Purses here.
Art Novelties, Books and Dolls here,
China, Glassware and Bric-a-Brac here.

THAN WE HAVE EVER HAD!

Look at This!
Two-Clasp Kid
Glove—Price.. **59c.** PAIR.

Worth \$1.00 pair. Black, Red, Brown,
Green, Tan and White with black attaching
are the colors shown.

OUR CELEBRATED
95c, \$1.35 and \$1.50

Kid Gloves embody every feature re-
quired by the most critical buyer.

POCKETBOOKS AND SATCHELS

Are here in all sizes, colors and shapes—bright and dull finishes. Ladies' Genuine Small Pocket Books 50c up. Ladies' fine Leather Pocket Books, with silver and oxidized metal trimmings, 25c up. Men's Pocket Books 50c to \$1.50. Ladies' and Misses' Chatelaines as low as 25c. Ladies' Shopping Bags \$1.25 up.
Our five large show windows are full of helpful hints to holiday buyers.
Come to our Clock Room Saturday sure, if you cannot get there sooner.
Prices that'll sell!

Geo. M. Snook & Co.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS—M'FADDEN'S.

OUR STORE IS OPEN EVERY NIGHT.

Christmas Presents.

10c for 4-ply linen Collars.
25c for fine Silk Neckties, new styles.
40c for fine White or Colored Shirts.
50c for Fur Top extra fine Kid Gloves.
95c for Gloria Hill Christmas Umbrellas.
\$1.50 Men's large Fur Driving Gloves for \$1.

McFadden's One Price Store,
1320 and 1322 Market Street, Wheeling.

SHOES—ALEXANDER.



IT'S JUST AS WELL

When making presents to give something useful, something, too, that will add to the comfort and ease of the person receiving it.

DOLGE'S FELT SLIPPERS

Are known the world over as being the most comfortable and best made.

We Sell Dolge's Slippers.

ALEXANDER,

SHOE SELLER. 1049 MAIN ST.



EYE-SIGHT

Is price-less! Yet how little it costs to keep the eyes in perfect condition, if they are properly attended to at the right time. Too many people fail to appreciate the value of perfect eyesight, until it is too late to obtain it. Ask for our folder on "How to Preserve the Eye-Sight."

H. W. EWALT,

Optician for Dillon, Wheat & Hancher Co.

PIANOS—F. W. BAUMER CO.

For the Holiday Trade

We have ordered six carloads of pianos. We expect to sell even more than these. They are largely Steinway, Krueger and Ludwig pianos.

WE HAVE RENTED AN EXTRA STORE ROOM

To give us room in our own store to display this large stock. In no other store can you find so large an assortment. Of no other firm can you obtain as low prices, quality always considered. Come in and let us prove it.

F. W. Baumer Co.

1310 MARKET STREET.

The Intelligencer

Office: Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

Lecture by Jos. H. Hansman—Y. M. C. A. Hall.

Opera House—For Fair Virginia.

It's Just as Well—Alexander—Eighth Page.

Let Santa Bring Music—Milligan, Wilkin & Co.

For Sale—Theo. W. Fink.

Wanted—Employment of Any Kind.

Notice—Lairdmen's Association.

Organ Recital—Mr. Frederic Archer.

Eden Peak—H. F. Behrens Co.

Violet Cream—R. H. List.

A. A. Frankham—Agent for the North-

ern Pacific and Alaska Mining, Transporta-

tion and Trading Company.

Ready for Christmas—Jos. Graves' Son.

Buy Holiday Goods Now—James W. Ew-

ing. Assignee.

Just Received—Albert Stolze & Co.

Gas Heating Stoves—Nesbitt & Bro.

For Christmas Presents—McFadden's—

Eighth Page.

Why—Geo. M. Snook & Co.—Eighth

Page.

Special Attractions—Stone & Thomas—

Eighth Page.

XMAS! XMAS! XMAS!

Call early and make your selections.

Popular prices.

Neckwear—Latest, newest and brightest

style.

Stuffers—Silk and wool Scotch plaids

and fancy stripes.

Gloves—Silk and wool lined Kids, Mo-

cho, Buckskin and Woolen.

Suspenders—With gold and silver

buckles and mountings.

Umbrellas—Combination cane and um-

brella, detachable handle.

Shirts—The celebrated Eighnale white

shirt and facials.

Collars and Cuffs—Latest styles for ladies

and gentlemen.

Half Hose—Fancy Scotch plaids and

stripes and plain colorings.

Underwear of all kinds from 50c up.

Agents for the celebrated Jaro Hygienic

Underwear.

Surprise your husband by ordering a

silk vest, a pair of Trousers, Suit of

Clothes or Overcoat, as we have their

measures. C. HESS & SONS,

Fashionable Tailors and Furnishers, 1321

and 1323, Market street.

"THAT HEAVY, TIED FEELING."

Caused by reading the self-praising ads.

of self-named optical experts (A),

doctors (B), professors (C) and clairvoyants (D)

can be cured without publicity by J. W.

Genther, Optician.

IT all goes up in smoke! John Smith.

5 cents.

WE have all the latest styles of Photo-

graph Albums. Call and see them at

Carle Bros, 1308 Market street.

Water Rents Are Due.

Water rents for the six months end-

ing March 31, 1898, are now ready. If

paid on or before December 31, 1897, a

discount of 10 per cent will be allowed.

THE CITY WATER BOARD.

Brought the Hawk Along.

L. S. Smith, of Elm Grove, known as

"Tan" Smith, was brought to the coun-

ty jail yesterday, by Constable Ander-

son, to be tried for larceny upon com-

plaint of his brother, W. S. Smith. A

hawk, which the alleged demented

man, is fond of, accompanied him to the

jail, where it is now. Squire Fitzpatrick

will take the depositions in the case in

a few days.

BOYS' Watches guaranteed for \$2.50

each. SHEFF BROS.

REMEMBER Miss Hennig's enter-

tainment at Opera House this evening.

Only 25 cents admission.

TURKISH Enamel novelties—latest

things out. DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

CARLE BROS, 1308 Market street,

headquarters for Booklets, Calendars and

Xmas Cards.

BARGAINS in Diamonds at Lukens'

closing out sale.

Oh, I don't know. The John Smith 5c

Cigar can't be beat for a nickel. H. F.

Horchheimer & Co., sole agents.

O. C. GENTHER is the man for Jew-

elry.

HURT IN A BANK.

Night Watchman Andrew Rheim,
of Dollar Savings Bank

THROWN FROM A STEP-LADDER

Last Night—Nobody Else was in the Bank at the Time and the Insensible Man, Who Could be Seen Plainly From the Street, Attracted a Large Crowd in Front of the Bank Building—He was Not Seriously Injured.

Last night at 9 o'clock considerable excitement was occasioned in the business district on Market street, by an accident that befell Andrew Rheim, the veteran watchman at the Dollar Savings Bank. A report was in circulation that he was killed.

It is the custom of Watchman Rheim to wash the large plate glass window fronting on Market street about nine o'clock, and he was engaged in this work when the accident overtook him. He was standing on a step-ladder, which was set against the desk at the front of the banking room. It is supposed that the ladder slipped and threw Rheim backwards against the steam heating register that stands near the south side wall. Nobody on the street saw the accident, but a minute or two later a hackman saw Rheim stretched out on the floor, apparently unconscious. Soon a large crowd, which eventually numbered two hundred or more, gathered in front of the bank.

Telephone messages were sent to officers of the bank. Hon. N. B. Scott was the first to arrive, but as he had no key, entrance could not be gained. After a short wait, a young man, John Manning by name, was lifted by Mr. Scott and others and crawled under the transom over the door, thence dropping to the floor. Before he could go around and into the enclosure, Mr. Frank Killeves, of the bank, arrived and opened the door.

Dr. Armbricht followed and willing hands soon had the unconscious Rheim in a more comfortable position, and he soon recovered sufficient to recognize persons gathered about. Dr. Armbricht made an examination and found a wound on the top of the head just above the forehead, which had evidently been inflicted by falling on the register. His hair was filled with blood and it was thought there were more serious wounds, but no others were found excepting bruises on the shoulders.

As soon as Rheim had recovered sufficiently to talk he was asked to tell how the accident happened, but he did not know until then that he had been hurt. He was taken in the city ambulance to his home on Thirteenth street. Dr. Armbricht said so far as he could learn last night, Mr. Rheim was not seriously injured.

OFFICER MASON'S FUNERAL.

It Will Occur Sunday Afternoon Under Masonic Auspices.

The funeral of Officer "Jack" Mason, whose death was chronicled in yesterday's Intelligencer, will take place Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence, at No. 11 South Broadway, Island, under the direction of Ohio lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M. Wheeling lodge No. 114, Knights of Pythias, of which the deceased was a charter member, will participate, and the funeral cortege will be headed by an escort of twenty-four police officers. The interment will occur at Peninsular cemetery.

Mr. Mason became a member of the police force three years ago, when Captain Bennett resumed office. During Mr. Cowden's term as postmaster he was a mail carrier. By trade he was a molder. "Jack" Mason was as good a police officer as he was a citizen and parent, and enjoyed the respect of the entire community, especially on the Island, where he was known to everybody—man, woman and child.

Not Going Out of Business.

Sheff Bros. are selling Watches and Diamonds at such low prices that some people are reporting it around that they are going out of business. They are NOT going out of business, and that all the goods they sell are guaranteed by a guarantee that is backed by gold and not by an auctioneer's word.

CALL at Husecroft Bros., and examine their Holly, best and cheapest.

HAVE you seen our new line of Turkish Enamel novelties?

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

"Miss Hennig's Recital."

At the Opera House this evening, December 10th, with the assistance of her pupils and other talent, will vary a little from the educational entertainments. There is not a dull line in the entire programme, and those attending will be assured a most delightful evening.

SOLID Silver Thumbless, 10c each, this week at Sheff Bros.

PINKHAM'S Compound, regular price \$1.00, our price, 67c; Paine's Celery Compound, regular price, \$1.00, our price 75c, at cut-rate Patent Medicine Co., 1139 Market street.

SAVE money by buying your Watches, Clocks and Jewelry at O. C. Genther's.

GAMES, Books and Toys is what the children want. Call and see our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

CARLE BROS., 1308 Market street.

SEE O. C. Genther's great stock of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

NOTHING makes a more acceptable Xmas present than a pair of gold spectacles or eye-glasses. Get them of us, and we will examine your eyes, and put in proper lenses, free of charge, after Xmas.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

O. C. GENTHER is the man for everything in the Watch, Clock and Jewelry line.

HERBERT SPENCER, a poet great, has finally come to this fair state. Everywhere for 10c.

WATCHES, Diamonds, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Clocks, Onyx Tables, at one-half price, at Lukens & Co.'s jewelry store. We are going out of business.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

Special for 10 Days.

Solitaire Diamond Rings, set with full cut diamonds, \$25.00. Our \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20 and \$25 Diamond Rings are set with the finest blue white diamonds, and are just the thing for a medium priced Christmas gift. Gold Lockets, set with full cut fine white diamonds, from \$2.00 up. We have a special sale 500 fine Gold Watches at special prices. Gold filled Elgin watches, warranted, from \$4.00 up. Gold going Elgin watches, warranted, from \$15.00 up. We have \$25.00 worth of bargains now on sale.

SHEFF BROS., Cor Main and Eleventh Streets.

THE HUB—CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS.

THE BIG STORE WITH THE LITTLE PRICES.

Taking Him Up.

It's a good idea. A merchant asks fifteen dollars for an overcoat—the buyer offers ten dollars—the merchant takes him up, and what does he get? If the He refers to the merchant, he gets the man's ten dollars and his suspicion forevermore. If the He refers to the man, he gets—left. If that merchant could afford to sell that garment for less than he asked, why did he not name the lowest price at once? Is that merchant reliable? Can you afford to risk his judgment? He certainly takes QUITE A LOAD on his shoulders when he attempts to carry trade that way. We guarantee you that you will pay here quite as much as your neighbor, and just as surely you'll pay as little. We further guarantee you your money back on demand if you find your purchase unsatisfactory when you get home. If you are interested in

OVERCOATS

see us this week. We want to show you ours at \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00. Only eight grades, but we'll show you numbers of styles in each grade.

EVERYTHING FOR MEN AND BOYS AT PRICES THAT'LL SELL AND SATISFY.

THE BIG STORE WITH THE LITTLE PRICES.

THE - HUB,

Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

HUB CORNER, FOURTEENTH AND MARKET STREETS.

FANCY ROCKERS—FREW'S.

Fancy..... Rockers.

We have just received a new and large assortment of the latest and handsomest styles of Parlor and Bed Room Rocking Chairs, in Oak, Mahogany, Malachite and Royal Purple finishes, any one of which will make a handsome

CHRISTMAS PRESENT

And cost you but little money. All are invited to inspect our stock, whether you wish to purchase or not.

FREW'S,

1208 MAIN STREET.

FURNITURE, CARPETS, ETC.

SHOES—J. H. LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.

WHAT SHALL I GIVE?

A Christmas present is hard to select. Why not make it useful?

SELECT FROM THESE:

Slippers	75c, \$1.00, \$1.25
Ladies' Shoes	\$1.25 up to \$3.00
Men's Shoes	\$1.25 up to \$3.00

With every purchase from now until Dec. 25 the finest Christmas Card ever given in this city.

J. H. LOCKE SHOE CO.

HOLIDAY GOODS—JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.

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WE HAVE ON EXHIBITION A VERY LARGE LINE OF

Holiday Goods..

FOR THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE.

JOHN FRIEDEL & CO.

1119 MAIN STREET.